

**Amendments to the Abstract**

Please **add** the following Abstract to this application.

--The power supply has a first and a second SMPS, which both contain a transformer having a primary winding and at least one secondary winding. The power supply furthermore has a normal operation, in which both SMPS units are in operation, and a standby operation, in which the first SMPS unit is switched off by a control voltage. In this case, the control voltage is simultaneously used to reduce the switching frequency of the second SMPS unit in standby operation, for example by means of a connection, which reduces the oscillation frequency of the oscillator of the second driver stage. In a preferred exemplary embodiment, the output of the first driver stage is furthermore connected via a series circuit to the oscillator input of the second driver stage, for synchronization purpose. --